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David WALLACH et al

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Examiner: M-T Davis

Washington, D.C.

July 30, 2002

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 1, 2002, please amend as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please delete claims 8-10, 12 and 13 without prejudice toward continued prosecution thereof in one or more divisional applications.

REMARKS

Claims 1-7 and 11 presently appear in this case. claims have yet been examined on the merits. The claims have been subject to a restriction requirement. Prompt consideration on the merits and allowance are hereby respectfully urged.

The examiner has required restriction among the following inventions: